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The Honorable Paul Simon
Committee on Foreign Relations
United States Senate
Washington, D.C. 20510

Dear Senator Simon:

The Director has asked me to respond to your letter of August 19, 1992. I want to assure you that this Agency fully supported the work of the Salvadoran Truth Commission in investigating and resolving human rights crimes in that country. As you know, the State Department is the focal point for the handling of information from the US Government to the Commission. We have provided to State for the Commission all verifiable information we have on incidents and events under the Commission's review. The Truth Commission has several more weeks to complete its work, and we will continue to respond as appropriate to its requests.

The Agency has likewise worked through State Department to assist the work of the Ad Hoc Commission reviewing the Salvadoran military staff. We understand the Ad Hoc Commission has now completed its work.

Thank you for your letter and for the opportunity to assure you of our continuing support to peace in El Salvador. Please contact me if I can be of further assistance.

Sincerely,

/s/ Stanley M. Moskowitz

Stanley M. Moskowitz
Director of Congressional Affairs

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